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EXPLANATION

These summaries of current Employment, Average Hours and Earnings and Labor Turnover figures furnish revised series based on more complete reports.

The tabulations are presented in the following three parts which are in continuation of previously issued supplements.

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FOOTNOTES:

SUPPLEMENT I

(1) Includes all full and part-time wage and salary employees who worked or received pay for any part of the weekly period including the 12th of the month. Excluded are proprietors, self employed and domestic servants.

(2) Includes ordinance, furniture, stone clay glass, fabricated metal products, machinery, transportation equipment, instruments, etc.

(3) Includes products of apparel, paper, chemicals, rubber and leather.

(4) Includes commercial trade schools, auto repair and miscellaneous repair services, hand trades, amusements and recreation, medical and health, legal and professional services, non-profit membership organizations and establishments not elsewhere classified.

(5) Same as (4) above also includes hotels, rooming houses, camps, personal services and mining.
Labor dispute—metal mining and primary metal industries—began July 15, 1967.

SUPPLEMENT II

(1) Based on reports from cooperating establishments and cover both full and part-time production and related workers who worked during or received pay for any part of the weekly pay period including the 12th of each month. Figures are averages of gross earnings including overtime and premium pay.

* Labor dispute.

SUPPLEMENT III

(1) Rates are based on data for entire calendar month.

(2) Excludes canning and sugar industries.

(3) Components will not add to total (discharges and miscellaneous separations not shown).

(—) Less than .05.

Supplement I

Montana Series by Months

EMPLOYEES ON MONTANA NON-AGRICULTURAL PAYROLLS 1968 (1)

In Thousands

INDUSTRY	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Avg.
NON-AGRI. INDUSTRIES	**181.6**	**181.5**	**183.7**	**190.0**	**195.4**	**203.9**	**204.3**	**206.6**	**203.5**	**199.5**	**196.7**	**197.6**	**195.3**
Manufacturing	**20.9**	**20.8**	**19.9**	**22.2**	**23.3**	**24.2**	**25.0**	**25.0**	**24.7**	**25.1**	**24.4**	**24.3**	**23.3**
Durable Goods	12.5	12.5	12.4	14.5	15.5	16.2	16.8	16.9	16.7	16.3	15.9	15.7	15.2
Lumber and Timber Products	8.7	8.7	8.5	8.2	8.7	9.1	9.6	9.6	9.5	9.3	8.9	8.8	9.0
Primary Metal Industries	1.5	1.5	1.4	3.8	4.3	4.5	4.6	4.7	4.6	4.6	4.6	4.5	3.7
Other (2)	2.3	2.3	2.5	2.5	2.5	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.6	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.5
Non-Durable Goods	8.4	8.3	7.5	7.7	7.8	8.0	8.2	8.1	8.0	8.8	8.5	8.6	8.1
Food and Kindred Products	4.7	4.6	3.8	3.9	3.9	4.1	4.3	4.2	4.1	5.0	4.7	4.7	4.3
Printing and Publishing	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.7	1.8	1.7
Petroleum Refining	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	1.1
Other (3)	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.0
Mining	**3.9**	**3.9**	**3.9**	**5.2**	**5.9**	**6.0**	**6.1**	**6.1**	**5.7**	**5.6**	**5.5**	**5.5**	**5.3**
Metal Mining	1.1	1.1	1.0	2.3	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.3
Quarrying and Non-Metallic Mining, Including Coal	.9	.9	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.1	1.1	1.1	1.0	1.0	.9	.9	1.0
Petroleum and Natural Gas Products	1.9	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.9	2.0
Contract Construction	**8.7**	**8.6**	**9.9**	**11.0**	**12.1**	**13.1**	**14.1**	**14.2**	**13.2**	**13.2**	**11.9**	**11.1**	**11.7**
Contractors, Bldg. Construction	2.7	2.5	2.6	2.8	3.0	3.3	3.4	3.4	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.6	2.9
Contractors, Other Than Bldg.	2.9	2.9	3.9	4.6	5.4	5.8	6.3	6.4	5.8	5.7	4.6	4.2	4.8
Contractors, Special Trade	3.1	3.2	3.4	3.6	3.7	4.0	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.6	4.5	4.3	4.0
Transportation and Utilities	**17.1**	**17.0**	**17.2**	**17.3**	**17.7**	**18.3**	**18.5**	**18.5**	**18.1**	**17.6**	**17.5**	**17.6**	**17.7**
Interstate Railroads	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.8	6.9	7.2	7.2	7.1	6.9	6.8	6.7	6.8	6.9
Transportation Except Railroads	4.3	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.9	5.0	4.9	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.6
Utilities (Inc. Communications)	6.0	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.4	6.4	6.4	6.3	6.1	6.1	6.0	6.2
Trade	**42.3**	**42.0**	**43.0**	**44.0**	**45.3**	**47.3**	**48.1**	**48.6**	**47.3**	**46.0**	**45.9**	**47.3**	**45.6**
Wholesale Trade	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.8	9.1	9.4	9.6	9.4	9.4	9.3	9.4	9.1
Retail Trade	33.7	33.5	34.4	35.3	36.5	38.2	38.7	39.0	37.9	36.6	36.6	37.9	36.5
General Merchandise and Apparel	6.3	6.0	6.1	6.3	6.4	6.6	6.8	7.0	6.7	6.6	6.8	8.0	6.6
Food and Liquor Stores	5.4	5.3	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.6	5.6	5.7	5.7	5.6	5.6	5.5	5.5
Eating and Drinking Places	7.7	7.9	8.4	9.0	9.7	10.3	10.5	10.6	10.2	9.3	8.9	8.7	9.3
Automotive and Filling Stations	7.3	7.3	7.4	7.4	7.6	8.0	8.1	8.1	7.9	7.7	7.7	7.7	7.7
Retail Trade N.E.C.	7.0	7.0	7.2	7.3	7.4	7.7	7.7	7.6	7.4	7.4	7.6	8.0	7.4
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	**7.3**	**7.3**	**7.3**	**7.4**	**7.5**	**7.6**	**7.7**	**7.7**	**7.7**	**7.6**	**7.6**	**7.7**	**7.5**
Service and Miscellaneous	**28.4**	**28.4**	**28.8**	**29.1**	**29.6**	**31.6**	**31.8**	**32.3**	**31.2**	**29.9**	**29.5**	**29.5**	**30.0**
Hotels, Rooming Houses, Camps, Etc.	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.4	5.0	5.3	5.1	4.6	3.7	3.4	3.4	3.8
Personal Services	2.3	2.3	2.3	2.4	2.4	2.5	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.4	2.3	2.3	2.4
Other (4)	23.3	23.2	23.5	23.7	23.8	24.1	24.1	24.8	24.2	23.8	23.8	23.8	23.8
Government	**53.0**	**53.5**	**53.7**	**53.8**	**54.0**	**55.8**	**53.0**	**54.2**	**55.6**	**54.5**	**54.4**	**54.6**	**54.2**
Federal	11.7	11.5	11.6	11.7	11.8	13.4	13.5	13.5	12.8	11.9	11.6	11.5	12.2
State and Local	41.3	42.0	42.1	42.1	42.2	42.4	39.5	40.7	42.8	42.6	42.8	43.1	42.0
Great Falls (Cascade County) Non-Agri. Total	**21.5**	**21.6**	**22.1**	**23.5**	**24.0**	**21.8**	**25.0**	**25.1**	**24.6**	**24.2**	**24.0**	**23.8**	**23.7**
Manufacturing	2.2	2.2	2.2	3.2	3.5	3.6	3.6	3.6	3.5	3.5	3.4	3.4	3.1
Contract Construction	1.1	1.2	1.5	1.8	1.9	2.0	2.2	2.3	2.0	1.9	1.9	1.4	1.8
Transportation and Utilities	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.9	2.0
Trade (Retail and Wholesale)	5.9	5.8	6.0	6.1	6.1	6.2	6.2	6.2	6.3	6.2	6.1	6.3	6.1
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.3
Service and Miscellaneous (5)	4.2	4.2	4.2	4.3	4.3	4.4	4.4	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.5	4.4	4.4
Government	4.8	4.9	4.9	4.9	4.9	5.2	5.2	5.1	5.0	4.8	4.8	5.0	5.0
Billings (Yellowstone County) Non-Agri. Total	**26.2**	**26.1**	**26.4**	**26.7**	**27.0**	**27.6**	**27.5**	**27.8**	**27.7**	**28.2**	**27.6**	**27.9**	**27.2**
Manufacturing	2.9	2.9	2.7	2.8	2.8	2.9	3.0	3.0	3.0	3.6	3.3	3.2	3.0
Contract Construction	1.5	1.4	1.6	1.7	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.8	1.7	1.8	1.4	1.3	1.7
Transportation and Utilities	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.9	2.9	2.9	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8	2.8
Trade (Retail and Wholesale)	7.9	7.9	8.0	8.1	8.3	8.5	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.8	8.8	8.4
Finance, Insurance and Real Estate	1.4	1.4	1.3	1.3	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.4	1.5	1.4
Service and Miscellaneous (5)	5.0	5.0	5.2	5.2	5.2	5.3	5.3	5.4	5.4	5.3	5.2	5.2	5.2
Government	4.7	4.7	4.8	4.8	4.7	4.8	4.4	4.6	4.7	4.7	4.7	5.1	4.7

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Supplement III

LABOR TURNOVER RATES IN SELECTED MONTANA INDUSTRIES 1968 (1)

(Per 100 Employees by Calendar Year)

ALL MANUFACTURING (2)

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	2.7	3.0	4.2	5.8	6.5	8.5	4.7	4.2	7.1	4.1	2.7	3.0	4.7
New Hires	2.2	2.2	3.3	5.1	5.7	7.9	4.2	3.9	6.6	3.9	2.1	2.7	4.2
Total Separations (3)	3.0	3.5	4.0	5.7	4.8	4.4	3.3	5.9	8.5	5.6	3.3	3.8	4.7
Quits	1.5	1.3	2.6	4.2	3.2	2.7	2.1	4.3	6.5	2.6	1.7	1.7	2.9
Layoffs	.7	1.4	.7	.7	.9	.8	.3	.7	.6	1.4	.8	1.2	.9

DURABLE GOODS

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	2.8	3.5	4.4	7.1	7.6	9.1	5.2	4.5	8.2	5.3	2.9	3.0	5.3
New Hires	2.4	2.8	3.7	6.3	6.7	8.7	5.0	4.2	7.5	5.1	2.6	2.7	4.8
Total Separations (3)	3.3	3.5	4.3	7.0	5.2	4.3	4.1	6.8	9.8	6.6	3.8	3.7	5.2
Quits	1.8	1.4	3.0	5.5	3.9	2.9	2.6	5.0	7.5	3.0	2.3	1.9	3.4
Layoffs	.5	1.1	.3	.5	.4	.4	.2	.7	.6	1.3	.7	.6	.6

PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	1.8	1.3	.4	6.2	8.7	6.0	5.6	5.5	7.8	4.8	2.4	2.1	4.4
New Hires	1.0	.6	.2	3.8	7.6	5.6	5.0	4.5	6.4	4.6	1.7	1.4	3.5
Total Separations (3)	2.3	.6	2.9	9.2	3.7	2.8	4.0	5.2	8.5	5.2	2.5	3.9	4.2
Quits	1.0	.3	1.1	8.2	2.6	1.6	1.8	3.5	5.2	1.6	1.5	1.4	2.5
Layoffs	—	—	—	.2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	.4	.1

NONDURABLE GOODS (2)

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	2.5	1.9	4.0	3.3	4.2	7.2	3.3	3.8	4.6	1.6	2.3	2.8	3.5
New Hires	2.0	1.1	2.6	2.8	3.6	5.9	2.5	3.6	4.5	1.6	1.2	2.6	2.8
Total Separations (3)	2.6	3.5	3.4	3.2	4.1	4.6	1.6	4.1	5.5	3.6	2.1	4.2	3.5
Quits	.9	1.1	1.8	1.6	1.7	2.3	1.1	3.0	4.2	1.9	.6	1.2	1.8
Layoffs	1.1	2.0	1.3	1.0	1.9	1.6	.5	.8	.8	1.5	1.1	2.5	1.3

ALL MINING

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	2.9	7.0	3.9	6.9	8.9	10.8	7.6	6.4	4.2	4.2	2.9	8.0	6.1
New Hires	2.2	2.1	1.2	2.5	1.6	4.0	1.9	4.2	1.9	3.0	1.3	1.4	2.3
Total Separations (3)	5.9	6.4	2.9	6.5	30.3	9.4	7.4	11.2	10.6	5.8	7.4	2.7	8.9
Quits	1.9	1.5	1.9	2.0	9.0	2.6	1.4	5.9	3.8	3.7	2.9	1.3	3.2
Layoffs	3.1	3.0	—	2.6	19.3	.8	1.6	3.0	.2	1.2	3.0	.4	3.2

METAL MINING

	1968 Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	1968 Avg.
Total Accessions	1.3	1.9	1.3	1.8	8.3	13.0	4.9	3.2	3.2	3.0	2.1	2.6	3.9
New Hires	—	.1	.4	.2	.8	.6	.5	.6	.6	1.0	.2	.4	.5
Total Separations (3)	2.7	3.1	2.1	8.7	52.1	10.8	4.6	3.7	4.4	1.4	2.3	1.7	8.1
Quits	1.2	.9	.6	1.6	14.6	.8	1.1	1.4	1.9	1.0	.8	.4	2.2
Layoffs	—	.5	.1	4.4	34.8	.4	.5	.2	.4	.1	—	.1	3.5

(1) Rates are based on data for entire calendar month.

(2) Excludes canning and sugar industries.

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